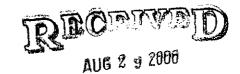


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August 28, 2000

Ms. Donna Caton Chief Clerk Illinois Commerce Commission 527 East Capital Avenue Springfield, Illinois 62794



ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE

Dear Ms. Caton:

A revised calculation of charges, on behalf on Northern Illinois Gas Company d/b/a Nicor Gas Company, under Rider 12, Environmental Cost Recovery, is required for September 2000.

Pursuant to the provisions of Rider 12, the attached statement of details and data in explanation is transmitted herewith and is hereby filed with the Commission.

#### III.C.C. No. 16 Schedule G

12th Information Sheet Supplemental to Sheet Nos. 68, 69 and 70

Two copies of this filing are enclosed for submission to the Chief Clerk. An additional copy is enclosed for your convenience in acknowledging receipt thereof. A copy is also being sent to Mr. John Hendrickson, Director, Rate Design Department in Springfield.

Sincerely,

Thomas Moretti

Coordinator Rate Administration

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**Enclosures** 

cc: Mary Selvaggio

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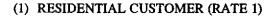
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#### Rider 12. Environmental Cost Recovery

Applicable to All Rates (Except Rate 17 and other Negotiated Contracts)

#### Environmental Cost Recovery Effective with Service Rendered on or after September 1, 2000

LINE NO.		Residential (1)	Small Non- Residential (2)	Large Non- Residential (3)
1	Basic Charge per Therm	(0.83) ¢	(0.59) ¢	(0.16) ¢
2	Annual Reconciliation Charge	0.07 ¢	0.05 ¢	<u>0.01 ¢</u>
3	Total Charge	(0.76) ¢	(0.54) ¢	(0.15) ¢



- (2) SMALL NON-RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS (RATES 4, 10, 11, 74, AND 81)
- (3) LARGE NON-RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS (RATES 6, 7, 76 AND 77)



# NORTHERN ILLINOIS GAS COMPANY d/b/a NICOR GAS CALCULATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY CHARGE EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2000

LINE	DESCRIPTION	RESIDENTIAL	SMALL NON- RESIDENTIAL	LARGE NON- RESIDENTIAL	TOTAL
NO.	(A)	NESIDENTIAL	TEOIDENTIAL	REGIDENTIAL	TOTAL
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1	2000 ESTIMATED ENVIRONMENTAL CHARGES				\$8,000,000
2	1995 CARRYING CHARGE ADJUSTMENT - DOCKET 96-0208				(3,199)
3	1996 CARRYING CHARGE ADJUSTMENT - DOCKET 97-0221				2,502
4	2000 ECR COLLECTION TARGET (LINE 1 + LINE 2 + LINE 3)				\$7,999,303
5	LESS 2000 COLLECTIONS THROUGH JULY 2000				6,481,805
6	LESS 2000 INSURANCE COLLECTIONS				12,000,000
7	AMOUNT TO BE REFUNDED AUGUST - DECEMBER 2000 (LINE 4 - LINE 5 - LINE 6)				
8	LESS ESTIMATED AUGUST 2000 ECR COLLECTIONS				292,109
9	AMOUNT TO BE REFUNDED SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER 2000 (LINE 7 - LINE 8)				
10	2000 ESTIMATED BASE REVENUE BY CLASS (SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER)	\$108,456,000	\$54,290,000	\$6,886,000	\$169,632,000
11	PERCENT OF BASE REVENUE BY CLASS (P)	63.94%	32.00%	4.06%	100.00%
12	ALLOCATION OF AMOUNT TO BE REFUNDED:				
	LINE 9 TOTAL MULTIPLIED BY LINE 11	(\$6,889,286)	(\$3,447,876)	(\$437,449)	(\$10,774,611)
	2000 ESTIMATED THROUGHPUT (SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER)	834,558,000	581,343,000	273,360,000	1,689,261,000
14	2000 ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY ADJUSTMENT:				
	LINE 12 DIVIDED BY LINE 13, AND MULTIPLIED BY 100	(0.8255) ¢	(0.5931) ¢	(0.1600) ¢	
15	FILED ECR CHARGE	(0.83) ¢	(0.59) ¢	(0.16) ¢	

